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IN THE APPLICATION OF:			
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Serial No.	**10/783,128**	**Examiner:**	**Chong, Kimberly**
Filed:	**February 20, 2004**	**Group Art Unit:**	**1635**
Title	**RNA Interference Mediated Inhibition of Polyglutamine (POLYQ) Repeat Expansion Diseases Using Short Interfering Nucleic Acid (siNA)**	**Confirmation No.:**	**2611**

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

Please consider the following amendments and remarks made in response to the Office Action mailed August 10, 2005. It is believed that no fee is due in connection with this filing; however, if a fee is due please charge our deposit account number 13-2490.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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